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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**APPLICANTS** : David A. Krantz, et al  
**APPLICATION NO.:** 10/808,347  
**FILED** : March 25, 2004  
**TITLE** : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR UTILIZING SHAPE  
ANALYSIS TO ASSESS FETAL ABNORMALITY  
**TC/A.U** : 3768  
**EXAMINER** : Francis J. Jaworski

**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is respectfully submitted in response to the outstanding Office Action. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the pending claims in light of the following amendments and remarks.

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**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.